I want to add my support for RM-10785 for the removal of all code testing as a requirement for all classes of Amateur Radio license. I believe the ability to pass a cw test is not an indication of how good or bad a radio operator a person will be. CW is just another mode available to those who have the interest in it. I believe there are a great number of excellent radio operators out there who hold a Technician license now, that would add a pool of emergency radio operators ready and willing to draw from in an emergency if the code requirement was removed.

Thank you for considering my comment of support for RM-10785 to remove all code testing as a requirement for an Amateur Radio license.

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